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In re Application of:

Parmacek et al.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION
DATED MAY 22, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Communication dated May 22, 2006, for which a one-month response date was provided. Therefore, this response is timely filed.

Applicants have added text under Subheading E to address to substance of the Office Communication.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/ARCD:333--1.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2; a **Listing of Claims** is provided at page 3 of this paper; **Remarks** begin at page 5.